

MEMORANDUM

To: Service Lists

From: Carol M. Pieper, Hearing Officer

Date: April 7, 2006

Re: Petition of Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company for Review and Approval of the Department of Telecommunications and Energy of the Company's 2005/2006 Peak Cost of Gas Adjustment Clause Filing, D.T.E. 05-GAF-P4

Petition of Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company to the Department of Telecommunications and Energy for approval of a change in the method by which the Company recovers its electric supply-related bad debt costs, D.T.E. 06-28

On December 15, 2005, Fitchburg Gas and Electric Company d/b/a Unitil ("Fitchburg" or the "Company") submitted to the Department of Telecommunications and Energy a request for approval of dollar-for-dollar recovery of all gas-related bad debt for calendar year 2005 on a retrospective basis. On March 7, 2006, the Company submitted a request for recovery of actual electric supply-related bad debt for calendar year 2005 on a retrospective basis. Because of the issues raised and the need for the Department to review both matters simultaneously for consistency, the dockets are hereby consolidated as D.T.E. 05-GAF-P4/06-28.

cc: Andrew Kaplan
Mary Cottrell